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## Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listing, of claims in the application.

## **Listing of Claims:**

Claims [c1] (Canceled)

Claim [c2] (Canceled)

Claim [c3] (Canceled)

Claim [c4] (New) A golf tee having an all inclusive cylindrical tubular structure therein, whereby the top portion, maintaining the inherent tubular geometry is flared out to an appropriate cylindrical diameter for the golf ball to rest on, then tapering down in a longitudinal direction, maintaining the constant wall thickness to an inner and outside diameter creation of a thin constant cylindrical tubular edge.

Claim [c5] (New) A golf tee according to claim 4, wherein a tubular edge is formed at the lower end for penetrating the earth as a single constant edge, comparable to the blade of a knife.

Claim [c6] (New) A golf tee according to claim 4, wherein a tapered tube is formed allowing the golf tee to nest within itself in order to raise the height of the golf ball.